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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on May 29, 2008. Please reconsider the above-identified application based on the following amendments and remarks.